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Clear and cool today and tonight. High in the 70's. Low tonight 60. Fair and cool tomorrow. High near 80.

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Labor To Open Industrial Drive July 7 15 DIE AS JET CRASHES IN RECORD TRY

Flatch Heads Group

Organized labor in Lower Bucks county will begin its drive for the industrial development fund Monday, July 7, Frank F. Flatch, president of the AFL-CIO Council and chairman of the Labor Division of the \$1,250,000 campaign announced today.

Mr. Flatch said the drive would be a speedy one lasting not more than two weeks and his announcement came after a meeting with campaign officials when plans for this phase of the Bucks County Industrial Development Corporation effort were formulated.

A great number of industrial establishments have already agreed to ready cooperation with the Labor Division effort and arranged for institution of payroll deduction plans.

Formula for giving by employees was set up at a recent meeting of union officials and tentatively approved. The goal is \$1 per month for three years on a subscription basis.

Meantime, S. D. Hackley, vice (Continued on Page 3, Col. 8)

Good Evening!

Deluge done, we hope.

Now for that fair, pleasant weekend the forecaster's forecasting with some assurance he won't miss like he's missed virtually every weekend since the catbirds arrived.

Boeing jet transport hurtles from Seattle to Boston in just four hours and 11 minutes and, ladies and gentlemen, that's traveling in a hurry without even the cruising gear.

Jet commercial service begins in September and in another year you'll probably want no truck with these old-fashioned reciprocal - engined super constellations that poke along at 300 miles p.m.

We'll tell you something. The feller who isn't attuned to the tempo of the times, the swift change ever taking place, and to the fantastic promise of the future and all that it holds needs a quick kick in the stern.

Next 25 years should be the most fascinating since man first adventured away from the cave.

"Song of Norway" at the Lambertville Music Circus one of the most enjoyable musicals you'll see in a long time.

Even with the rains pelting the big tent we could have sat through for a double take. Good music, good voices, good buffet and a good parlay all the way.

Cards versus Robin Roberts at Connie Mack stadium tonight and maybe the Phillies will get themselves a real streak started - winning, that is.

And our boy Arnold Palmer burned up the course at East Norwich to lead the Pepsi - Boys tourney as the day started. This one he could win, if aging Sam Snead doesn't get in the way.

Another neglected invention is a set of brakes to stop the car behind you.

Poise is the ability to act as though you expected it all the time.

If you can miss your train and not worry about being fired - You've arrived.

Take it easy with the driving.

750 Kaiser Workers Stage Walkout

Shortly after noon today employees of Kaiser Metal Products Inc., Bristol, began a mass walkout.

The walkout apparently affects 750 workers at the aircraft division on Beaver St. and the commercial division on Radcliffe St. The company employs about 1,100.

Union officials met earlier this morning with company representatives to discuss disciplinary action taken by the company yesterday afternoon against an employee.

Goldfine Bought Adams A House--Fox

WASHINGTON (UPI) — John Fox swore today that millionaire Bernard Goldfine told him he had "bought a house in Washington" for Presidential Assistant Sherman Adams. Adams denied the statement immediately.

Fox also testified Adams' friend Goldfine, a New England textile manufacturer, once offered a vicuna coat to the late Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.) and told McCarthy, "I buy vicuna coats for all the senators."

But he added that "Mr. Goldfine often talked a good bit bigger than the facts warranted."

It was Fox's second day of testimony before a House subcommittee investigating the relations between Goldfine and Adams.

Adams has conceded he accepted a vicuna coat and other favors from Goldfine. He has denied allegations that in return he helped Goldfine in his numerous difficulties with regulatory agencies of the federal government.

The new charge by Fox, former Boston investment broker and promoter, came as House investigators cross-examined him on accusations he made Thursday that Adams had "taken care of" his friend Goldfine's troubles with federal agencies.

"After July, 1955," Fox said, "in a heated discussion with Goldfine, he told me he bought a house in Washington for Adams to live in."

The investigating subcommittee obviously had advance warning of Fox's new charge against Adams.

Rep. Joseph P. O'Hara (R-Minn.) immediately interrupted to read two letters into the record.

One was from O'Hara to Adams saying that a witness from Boston was going to testify that (Continued on Page 3 Col. 2)

Employment Bureau Moving to New Quarters

The local office of the Pennsylvania Bureau of Employment Security is moving its offices from Bristol to 240 Levittown Parkway, Levittown, opposite the shopping center.

The move will be effective Monday, Manager Francis L. Mathews said. All applicants have been instructed to report to the new location Monday, in accord with their regular schedule. Employers are also being notified of the change.

Bus Company, Union Agree On Contract

Tentative agreement on a new contract was reached last night after four days of negotiations by the bargaining committees of the Neibauer Bus Company, Bristol, and Local 282, Transit Workers Union, AFL-CIO.

The 35 union local members will be asked to approve this contract at a special meeting to be held 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the offices of the Bucks County Council, AFL-CIO, 118 Otter St., Bristol.

Terms of the proposed new contract will not be revealed until

Union officials met earlier this morning with company representatives to discuss disciplinary action taken by the company yesterday afternoon against an employee.

In a statement to the press a Kaiser spokesman said, "The company asked the union to follow the grievance procedure contained in the contract between the two parties, in presenting this matter for reconsideration."

"Led Workers Off"

"In spite of this request by the company that the signed labor agreement between the union and the company be followed, union officials led the workers off the job."

No further meetings have been set to discuss the matter. A company spokesman reports that "no meetings will be scheduled until the employees return to their jobs, which they are free to do at any time."

At that time, the "normal procedure in the labor contract is available to resolve the case involved," the spokesman said.

John Dougherty, president of Local 130, said the walk out was the result of "unsatisfactory results" of discussion on a disciplinary layoff.

He added, "We had a tough time keeping people on the job while trying to settle this thing this morning." He said the dispute started when the company laid a man off in a disciplinary move. He called it an "act of bad faith" on management's part.

The contract which was signed last April 14 contains a "no strike" clause.

The agreement is a compromise of a "survival contract" presented by the company last spring.

One of the workers told a reporter as he was walking out of the plant on Radcliffe St. that union leaders had walked through (Continued on Page 3 Col. 3)

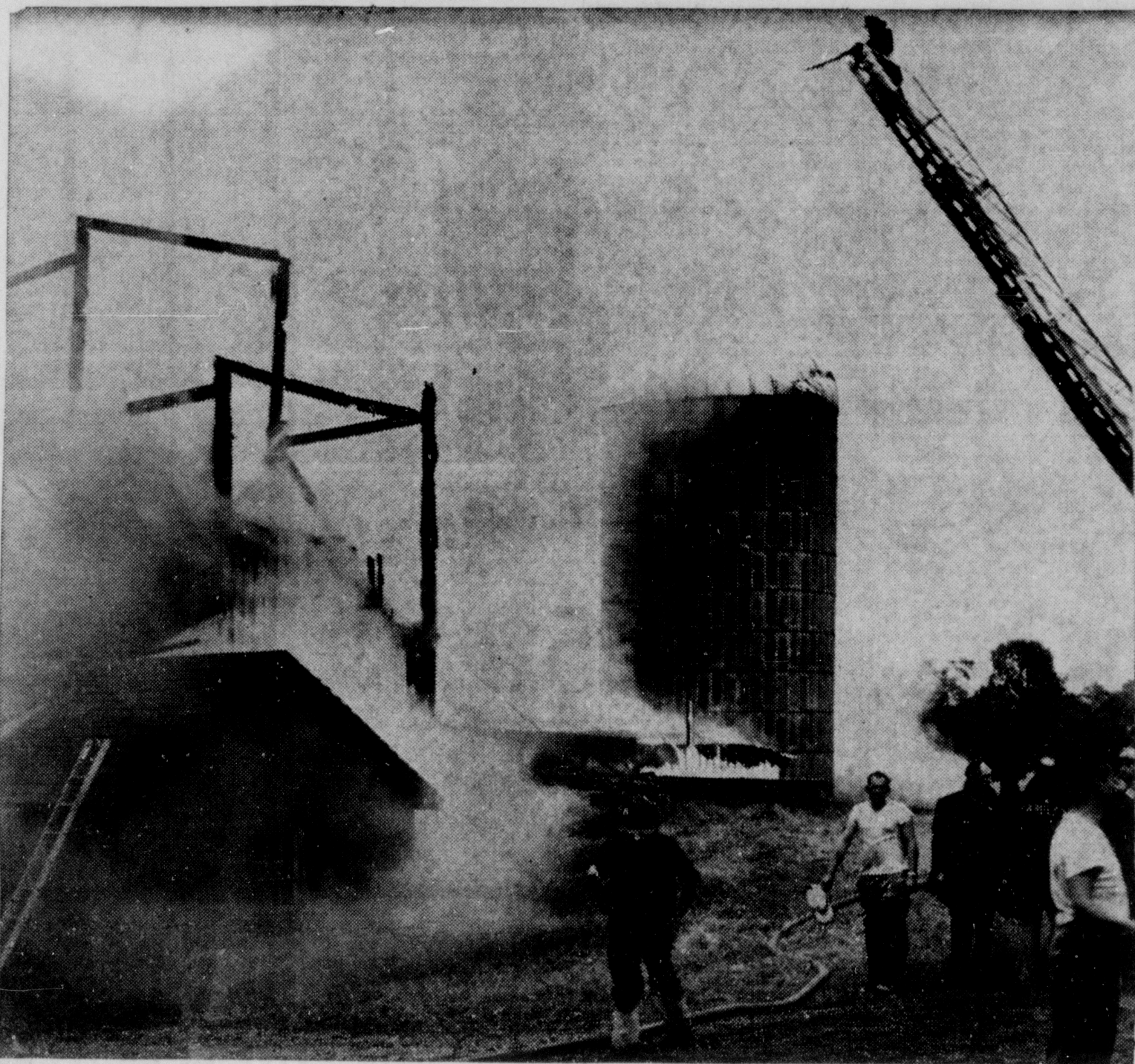
2½-Year-Old Chokes To Death On Marble

A two-and-a-half year old boy, William Countryman, Jr., choked to death when he swallowed a marble in his home at 2506 Winton Drive, Laurel Bend, around 7:30 last night.

The child's mother Earleen told Coroner Thomas C. Lamb she saw the boy pick up a marble from the living room floor. She said she reached for the marble but before she could get it the boy put it in his mouth and swallowed it.

He began choking and coughing. His father immediately took him to the hospital but the child died enroute. The coroner said death was caused by strangulation.

Flash Storm Ignites Barn



Firemen from Newtown and Yardley battle the blaze at the Alfred Krusen barn near Newtown. The

lightning-caused fire destroyed the \$25,000 barn yesterday afternoon during the height of the storm. (Courier-Times Photo)

Horan Withdraws Equity Suit Against Township School Tax

Thomas J. Horan, the plaintiff in the equity action against the Bristol Township School Board, announced today that he was discontinuing the suit.

Horan, president of the Levittown Civic Association, said continuation of the case against the school board's 70-mill tax rate would only result in greater cost to the people of Bristol Township—even if the case was won.

The LCA president said it became known yesterday following the trial proceedings that the School Authority could not issue bonds to finance the building program at the prevailing rate of interest while the suit was in litigation.

"Further litigation," Horan said, "would only result in issuance of the building bonds at a greater interest rate and a subsequent financial burden to the taxpayers."

To Float Bonds

The School Authority will soon float bonds to cover the cost of construction of two elementary schools and one high school in Bristol Township.

"It has never been my intention," Horan said, "to act in an arbitrary or high-handed manner. The initial suit was brought for the general welfare of Bristol Township."

"When I became aware that delay in litigation would cost the taxpayers money through this higher interest, I decided to end the suit. We started the suit to save taxpayers money and not to prove a point," Horan said.

Horan said he was "still convinced" the schools could have been built at a more economical cost.

"One of the reasons for bringing the suit was to convince the public the schools could have been built at 20 to 25 per cent less cost," Horan said.

"G.W. Stickle, an architect for 40 years, was prepared to testify that if the schools were built high instead of low and long, this (Continued on Page 3 Col. 7)

Sporadic Fighting Starts In Beirut

BEIRUT (UPI)—Sporadic firing broke out in Beirut and Tripoli today and the Lebanese army brought armored cars and tanks into action against rebel snipers.

The new outburst of violence followed a night of heavy fighting in both cities, timed by the rebels to coincide with the Muslim feast of Aid Al Adha. Six persons were killed in Tripoli Thursday.

Reports from Merjeyoun, in south Lebanon, said shells fired from the Syrian fortress at Banias fell inside the town Thursday night and seriously wounded four persons.

\$500,000 Blank Checks Stolen From Truck

A Levittown truck driver left his Railway Express vehicle for 15 minutes yesterday and when he returned he discovered that a box containing \$500,000 in blank American Express checks had been stolen.

James J. Coulter, 51, of 108 Evertown Lane, Elderberry, parked his vehicle at the Reading Terminal in Philadelphia.

Police arrested another truck driver today who they said became panicky when he realized what he had stolen and threw the box away.

\$25,000 Barn Is Destroyed By Lightning

Lightning bolted out of the sky yesterday afternoon bringing a flash storm that broke the heat of the warmest day of the year but caused destruction of a \$25,000 Newtown barn.

Other damage, nothing as serious as the Newtown lightning-caused barn blaze, was recorded in many areas in Lower Bucks.

The lightning blasted through the humid day shortly after 3:30 p.m. and sent a half inch of rain along with it.

A calf and two sheep died in the fire at the barn of Alfred Krusen, Newtown-Yardley Pike.

John Merrick of the Newtown Fire Association, said the wooden barn was leveled in 15 minutes but firefighters stayed on until 11:30 p.m. wetting down embers. Newtown's first assistant (Continued on Page 3 Col. 5)

UPI Newsmen Killed

The dead newsmen included Norman J. Montellier, 37, of New York, No. 2 man of the United Nations staff of United Press International; Robert B. Sibley, 37, veteran aviation editor of the Boston Traveler, and retired Brig. Gen. A. Robert Ginsburgh, 63, who since 1953 had been chief (Continued on Page 3, Col. 6)

Inside Today

Like the summer temperatures, COINWORD continues to go up.

With no winner last week, the new COINWORD puzzle contest today offers \$600 to the lucky person or persons coming up with the right answer. Turn to Page 29 and see how you can win the big jackpot.

New Fish Roundup

What's bitin'. Starting today and every Friday, the Courier-Times Sports Department offers its readers a roundup on how the fish are running at both local and New Jersey shore points. See Page 15.

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Mrs. Justine Linforth (center), former Red Cross chairman, accepts the 1958 Community Services award sponsored by the Bucks County Council, AFL-CIO, at the council's fifth annual dinner honoring graduates of the council's Union Counsellors Training Program. Taking part in the presenta-

tion last night at the Fiesta, Eddington, were: (from left) John H. Spadacino, dinner chairman; John Carney, guest speaker; Mrs. Linforth; James H. Lewis, toastmaster; and Frank Flatch, council president. (Courier-Times Photo)

Feud Flares Between Firemen And Auxiliary

Accusations and counter-accusations continued to fan the flames today of a flareup between Trevese Heights Fire Company and its auxiliary.

Paul Owens Sr., president of the company, claimed that "certain members" of the auxiliary complained to authorities about the gambling aspect of the carnival.

As a result, Owens immediately took steps to disband the auxiliary.

Auxiliary members then made plans to form a new group to be known as the Home Unity of the Trevese Heights Fire and Rescue Squad. Mrs. John Exley, Oakford, a member of the auxiliary said that the new organization was being formed by the "faithful members" of the disbanded group.

Owens said the decision to shut down after only three days running resulted from a warning by

authorities that the carnival "would be shut down" because of gambling and the chancing off of liquor prizes. Owens said that the fire company was told by local and state police that the "shutdown" would result if the carnival opened its doors again on the last two nights.

Other members of the company said that State Police in plainclothes were parked outside the carnival grounds.

Neither of the two claims were substantiated.

A check by the Courier-Times revealed that neither local police or State police issued any such warning.

Sergeant Jones, the officer in charge of the Langhorne State Police said, "None of my men was anywhere near the carnival and were never issued any orders to go there." Jones added, "I didn't even know the carnival existed."

AFL-CIO Unit Gives Award, Certificates

Some 150 union and community service representatives were told last night that it is the job of labor to give leadership and support to the social work agencies.

John Carney, National AFL-CIO Community Services representative, was the speaker at the fifth annual dinner honoring the 33 graduates of the Bucks County Council AFL-CIO's community

service training program for union counsellors.

Special Award

A special community services award was made to Mrs. Justine Linforth, Hulmeville, former chairman of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Chapter of the American Red Cross and current public relations chairman of the United Fund drive.

Toastmaster James H. Lewis, community services chairman, for the county council, made the award. He cited Mrs. Linforth's activities in helping to organize the Red Cross in this area and in setting up the blood program at the Lower Bucks County Hospital.

Mrs. Linforth's work with the Red Cross during the 1955 flood was commended in the plaque she was awarded.

Learn Of Services

Carney told the union members and guests that it was the duty of unions to help educate their members so that they are familiar with the services offered by social agencies.

Frank Flatch, county council president, urged the union members to support the Bucks County Industrial Development Corporation program. He said labor "must assume a position of interest in promoting the community," and said the development group was "doing a real job in trying to promote a progressive community."

Presents Certificates

Thomas E. Coe, vice president of the Bucks County United Services Federation, presented certificates to the 33 union men and women who completed the training course. They were:

Richard Woodward, Pattern Makers Association; Leroy Slover, Local 76, Roberts Mfg.; Michael Harkins, Local 195, Amalgamated Meat; Preston Bell, Local 4351, Superior Zinc; Joan Lotz and Frank Martin, Local 5586, Badenhausen Corp.

William Broomall, Nick Dwor-nitski, Bernard Hansbury, Jack Harshaw, Jack Stein, Anthony Ter-neson, Local 88, Rohm and Haas Co.

Charles Abrams, Gilda Crawford, Mary Horst, Alexander Jablonski, Hedy Villus, Local 165, Barker and Williamson.

Jessie Dillon, Edith Farrell, Marie Heierbacher, Helen Vandegrift, Local 228, Kemline, Inc.

Joseph Kopson, John McCleary, Edward Oliver, Eric Welandar, Local 2954, Badenhausen Corp.

James Costa, Edward Deliman, James Kehoe, Richard Waters, Local 5030 U.S. Steel, National Tube.

Joseph Catania, Joseph Gillespie, Joseph Horvath, C. Peter Mullaney, Local 5092, U.S. Steel, Fairless Works.

An SOS put out by a council official a few days ago brought quick action. Dutch Miller, assistant general superintendent at Fairless Works contacted Al Shields, general superintendent of National Tube and as fast as you can say it, pipe was made available for the pole.

Sam Farruggio picked it up in one of his trucks and hauled the pipe to camp. Kaiser Metals, Inc., through help of Vice President Hackley, handled the welding processes, and the Ed M. Hupp Construction company of Doylestown, is making the installation in plenty of time for Old Glory to ride high as the camp opens its season Sunday.

All for the good of boyhood, of course.

2 'Cat' Actors, Peter Iannucci In Auto Crash

"Cat On A Hot Tin Roof" has five lives left.

Ann Corio featured star, injured her elbow Saturday.

George Swaya, playing opposite her in the role of Brick, suffered a chest injury while rehearsing Tuesday.

Big Daddy and Big Mama were in an auto accident early this morning.

Big Mama is actually Bess Winburn, 42, of New York city who plays the Big Mama role in the show now playing at the Grand Theater Bristol. Big Daddy is Walter Boughton, 39, of Amherst, Mass., who also appears in the show.

After last night's show the two actors were riding with Peter Iannucci, 64, of 924 Pond St., Bristol, father of Michael Iannucci, who produces the shows at the Grand.

The car driven by the senior Iannucci crashed with an automobile operated by George J. Crits, 36, of 433 Achille Road, Havertown, at Old Lincoln Highway and Woodbourne Road, Middletown Township.

Goldfine

(Continued From Page 1) "Goldfine bought a house" for him and also purchased securities for the presidential aide.

The second letter was a vigorous denial by Adams of both accusations.

Adams wrote that Goldfine "neither directly nor indirectly purchased a house of mine."

"The house I live in," Adams wrote, "I rent."

The day produced these other developments: —Fox testified he received a \$500,000 loan from Joseph P. Kennedy, father of Sen. John F. Kennedy (D-Mass.), after throwing support of the Boston Post, which he published, to the younger Kennedy in the 1952 election campaign.

—Fox accused the Securities & Exchange Commission of having later committed "corporate murder" of the Post, now defunct, and of having done so "with malice aforethought."

Fox volunteered the story of swinging the Post into the Kennedy camp, less than two weeks before the election, while testifying before the House influence-investigating subcommittee.

Newspaper Turns Truck Drivers Away

PHILADELPHIA (UPI)—Truck drivers for the Evening Bulletin, who voted Thursday night to end a 29-day strike, were turned away today as they reported for work.

The Bulletin claimed the drivers, members of Teamsters Local 628, violated their back-to-work agreement by not delivering this morning's Philadelphia Inquirer. The Inquirer is being picketed by the American Newspaper Guild and the drivers honored the lines.

Sam Gentile, president of the local, termed the action a "lock-out." He told Carl Guelzo, superintendent in charge of Bulletin drivers, that the teamsters had bargained in good faith and the paper's refusal to admit workers is "more or less a lock out."

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Kaiser Plant

(Continued From Page 1) the plant telling the employees "out!" The walkout, he said started immediately.

Overtime Another worker said the dispute was caused as the result of a layoff of one worker who had refused to work overtime. He said the man had been notified at the last minute to stay overtime and refused. The worker said there had been mounting tension at the plant for sometime.

Twp. GOP Names Markley Chairman

Lenox B. Markley, Bristol Terrace, was elected chairman of the Bristol Township Republican Club at the annual reorganization meeting. Markley is also county prothonotary.

Other officers elected last night were: Jack Kelly, Levittown, first vice president; Lee Kerwin, Croydon Acres, second vice president; Iva Stewart, Bristol RD, 3, secretary; Anna Armstrong, Maple Shade, treasurer; David Boone, Levittown, membership chairman.

Committee Chairmen

Markley appointed the following committee chairman: William J. Veitch, by-laws; Florence Williams, refreshments; Fred J. Patrick and Charles French, Stewart, entertainment; Martin J. Patrick and Charles French, publicity.

The club announced it will

sponsor a bus trip to a Phillies baseball game this year. Patrick and Stewart are arranging the trip.

The club voted to support Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Horan, Levittown residents who had filed a taxpayers' suit against the Bristol Township School Board. In the meantime the Horans decided to drop the suit. They had asked the court to prevent the school board from imposing its new budget and accompanying 76 mill real estate tax.

Frederick Ziegler, Republican County Chairman was guest speaker. He urged the Republicans of Bristol Township to launch an information program to educate the Bristol Township residents of the actions of the all-Democratic township school board and the school building authority.

Car Breaks Man's Legs

A Croydon man had both his legs broken when he was hit by a car on Route 13 near the Ritz Theater, Croydon.

The victim, Joseph Dibbs, 43, of 317 Cedar Ave., was admitted to Lower Bucks County Hospital, where he was taken by the Bucks County Rescue Squad. The hospital reports he is in satisfactory condition.

Bristol Township Patrolmen Patrick Dunlavey and William Edmonds identified the driver of the car which struck Dibbs, as Gerald McLaughlin, 17, 1004 Sycamore Ave., Croydon.

McLaughlin told police he was driving about 25 miles an hour in a heavy rain when a man came onto the road. He said he couldn't stop. He swerved and tried to miss the man, McLaughlin said, but hit him with the right front fender.

Dibbs suffered a compound fracture of the right leg and a simple fracture of the left leg. He also received a severe laceration of the scalp which required four stitches to close.

McLaughlin was released in the custody of his parents to await the outcome of Dibbs' injuries.

Name Change Studied By Library Council

A possible name change for the Levittown Public Library was held for further study at a meeting of the Library Council last night.

The council, composed of library officers and representatives of civic and charitable organizations supporting the library, decided to consult with the Regional Cooperation Committee and the County Library Board before taking final action.

Names which had been suggested for the library are Parkway Library, Regional Municipal Library, and Joint Municipal Library of Levittown.

Representatives at the meeting last night seemed to favor Regional Public Library.

Bernard Glaser, a board member, outlined tentative plans for a fall drive to raise \$15,000 for payment of a mortgage on the new library building.

Bus Curtailment Delay Is Asked

Harold Lefcourt, Bristol Township Commissioner and Democratic candidate for Congress, yesterday urged the Pennsylvania Utility Commission to delay action on the request of the Neibauer Bus Company, Bristol, for permission to discontinue Sunday and Holiday service on one of its lines.

The bus firm wants to stop service as of this Sunday. Lefcourt in a telegram to the PUC urged that the request be rejected at least until a study of the proposal could be made.

Lightning

(Continued From Page 1) chief, Richard Tomlinson, was in charge of the volunteers.

The barn contained bales of straw, a fodder cutter, and a baler. The animals were consumed by the blaze, Merrick said. Other cattle in the barn were saved.

Three units from the Newtown Fire Association and volunteers from the Yardley Fire Company fought the blaze. The barn is located a mile east of Newtown Borough.

Water was pumped from nearby Silver Lake through more than 3,000 feet of hose. Merrick said the fire was the worst barn fire in the Newtown area since the Heston barn burned last year.

Krusen, sitting in the living room of his home, was knocked to the floor and partially paralyzed when the bolt hit the barn, firemen said.

'Ball of Fire' Krusen told firemen he "saw a ball of fire as big as a truck" inside the barn.

Firemen said the main house and a shed were threatened but firemen reported no other damage from the blaze.

In Levittown, a lightning flash ran through the home of William D. Price, 83 Kingwood Lane, Kenwood. The flash came so fast, Mrs. Price said, "we didn't know which way to run."

'Frightened' She was in the house with her daughter, Pamela, 10, when the lightning hit a wire behind the house, ran inside, jumped out of her toaster and singed the wall.

No serious damage was reported except "we sure were frightened" the woman said.

Doors and glass windows were cracked by the intensity of the wind and rain at the Levittown Tavern and the Levittown Businessmen's Association in the Levittown Shopping Center.

In Morrisville, Edward Nevins, 44 East Trenton Ave., entered the rear door of his home when a lightning bolt struck an apple tree, splitting it. A ball of fire spread to a willow tree, knocking off the bark and continued to the house, where hot water pipes were broken.

Damage to trees and wires in other areas were also reported.

89 Degrees

The Weather Bureau said the storm came shortly after the mercury hit 89 degrees, topping the high mark for the year of 87 on May 30.

Clear skies and mild temperatures in the 70's are expected today and tonight.

News Tip Call May Mean \$5.00

If you've got a keen sense for news, it could mean extra bucks for you. Whatever the news tip might be, just phone the News Tip Editor, Courier and Times, Windsor 5-1000 or Stillwell 8-3325. For the best tip of the week, the Courier and Times will pay \$5.00.

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Plane Wreckage



Wreckage is shown of Air Force KC135 tanker plane that crashed and burned shortly after taking off on attempted record breaking flight from

New York to London and return, non-stop. Fifteen persons, including six newsmen, were killed in the crash. (UPI Telephoto)

Some Die, Some Live

Newspaperman Tells Tale Of Last-Minute Plane Switch

EDITORS NOTE: Sam Kuczun, manager of the United Press International Bureau at Springfield, Mass., dashed off a U.S. Air Force KC135 Stratotanker today at Brize Norton Air Base in England today and grabbed a phone to London.

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15 Die In Crash

(Continued From Page 1) military writer for U.S. News & World Report Magazine.

The others were James L. McCaughy Jr., 40, chief of Time Magazine's Washington bureau and son of a former Connecticut governor; Daniel J. Coughlin Jr., 31, of the Boston bureau of Associated Press, and Glenn A. Williams, 45, of Bethesda, Md., also of U.S. News & World Report.

The only newsmen on one of the two planes that successfully completed the flight was Sam Kuczun, Springfield, Mass., bureau manager of United Press International.

The Air Force opened an investigation into the crash but a spokesman said it probably would be "a week or more" before the cause was known.

Veteran Piloted Plane

Brig. Gen. Donald W. Saunders, 45, a native of Athens, N.Y., and a veteran of 25 World War II Pacific combat missions, commanded the flight. The doomed plane was piloted by Lt. Col. George M. Broutsas, 39, of Brattleboro, Vt. one of the most experienced airmen in the 8th Air Force, Strategic Air Command. He had logged 8,126 flying hours.

The Boeing-built jet tanker is the military counterpart of the first American-made jet transport. A Boeing 707 is scheduled to go into commercial Transatlantic service in September with Pan American World Airways. The ship, yet to be certified by the Civil Aeronautics Administration, flashed across the country from Seattle to Boston Thursday and was due in Miami, Fla., today on much publicized test flights.

The Air Force said in a formal statement that "it has been established that the aircraft broke ground at exact prediction on the runway. The aircraft was airborne."

The plane had no ammunition aboard but was carrying an undisclosed supply of highly volatile fuel for the ocean hop.

Neibauer

(Continued From Page 1) bus firm was rejected by the union membership early this month.

Meanwhile, the Neibauer firm will eliminate its Sunday and holiday service on the Trenton to Philadelphia line, starting this Sunday. The company plans to reduce its Newtown to Bristol schedule to one bus.

As of July 7 and barring no successful public protest, the Levittown local service will be eliminated.

Only then did he learn that a sister ship had crashed on take-off in Massachusetts, killing all aboard including friends. It was the plane he originally was supposed to take. "My God," Kuczun said, and paused in silent shock. "How can a guy write a story when things fall in on you like that?" Kuczun caught his breath, regained his composure and then dictated the following dispatch.)

By SAM KUCZAN

UNITED PRESS INTERNATIONAL
BRIZE NORTON, England (UPI)—There's little you can say when you come as close to death as I did this morning. I was supposed to be on the plane that crashed.

A last minute switch saved me. I was listed on Strato - Tanker "Cocoa" but instead I went on "Bravo," and was the only newsmen on the plane.

"See you back here tomorrow," the other guys shouted when I climbed off the air base bus, alone. Now they're dead.

On the bus I had a seat next to Bob Sibley of the Boston Traveler.

"I'm getting too old for this sort of thing," I remember him saying.

Dan Coughlin of the Associated Press was telling how his wife had worried about the trip. "I had quite a time pacifying her," he said.

Now they're dead.

Not Like Airliner I think it was a peaceful death. Undoubtedly they never knew what was coming. This Strato-

crashed.

So Bill traded with another CAA observer, Kenneth Douglas, and died with the others on Cocoa, including Norman Montellier of United Press International. Ken rode with me and lived.

Other Divisions

The general campaign is now operating on all fronts and covers virtually every segment of the business, industrial and labor community. Other divisions include: Real Estate, Insurance and Professions, Richard H. Fechtner, chairman; Food Chains, Crawford Schaffer, chairman; Auto Dealers, W. H. Alexander, chairman; Banks, Murray C. Hotchkiss, chairman; Utilities, Bert Rearick, chairman, and Oil and Fuel Companies, William A. Henwood, chairman.

A luncheon meeting of all division chairmen and the general advisory committee will be held next Tuesday noon at Pennsbury Inn for a complete report on progress.

Births

June 22
Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Preno, 103 Queenly Road, Levittown, girl

June 25
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kendrick, 24 Boston Ivy Road, Levittown, boy

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hemperly, 15 Red Rose Way, Levittown, girl
Mr. and Mrs. John Krapf, 42 Stream Lane, Levittown, boy
Mr. and Mrs. James Schappell, 910 New York Ave., Croydon, girl

June 26
Mr. and Mrs. George McIlvaine, 11 Thornyapple Lane, Levittown, boy

Death Notices
MOYER — of 1719 Benson Place, Bristol, Pa. George H. husband of Martha M. Moyer. Friends may call at Mother's Funeral Chapel, 133 Otter St., Bristol, Friday evening, 7 to 9. He is survived by the following: his wife, Martha M.; his mother, Mrs. Florence Moyer; two children, Misses Tina and Diana Moyer; one brother, Charles; three sisters, Mrs. Charles Trexler, Mrs. Charles Stauffer, and Mrs. Arthur Londonberger. He was a member of the Harriman Methodist Church. Further services from Stauffer Funeral Home, Kingstown, Pa., on Monday. Interment Elm Memorial Park, Bloomsburg, Pa.

SCHMIDT — on June 27, 1958, Anthony J., at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George T. Grant, 48 Leisure Lane, Levittown. Father of Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Clarence W. Whirlow, Drexel Hill, Pa., Paul V. Schmidt, Donora, Pa., and brother of Mrs. Minnie Parodo, Monongahela, Pa. Funeral arrangements under the direction of Beck-Dougherty Mortuary, Newportville-Fallington Rd., Levittown, will be announced later.

Property Owners Object To Zoning Variance

Board Turns Down Request For Change

By JACK SCULLIN
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The Morrisville Board of Adjustment has turned down a request by Morrisville Builders for a variance to the borough zoning ordinance which would permit erection of seven-unit, apartment-type dwellings costing about \$250,000 on Lincoln Ave.

The board, composed of John Zack, president; Nick Peleahy, secretary; and John Catania, held a public hearing recently and several property owners in the area objected to the variance.

In citing reasons for turning down the request by Daniel Volk, president of the building firm, the adjustment board gave four reasons for its action.

They included the following:

Four Reasons

1. One-hundred percent opposition by adjoining property owners; 2. insufficient information from the applicant; 3. no representation at the hearing by the applicant; and residents on Taft Ave. purchased homes there under the protection of the zoning code and were told by Morrisville Builders who built the homes on Taft Ave. that only private dwellings would be constructed in the area.

Borough Secretary Robert H. Steward said he has received a petition opposing the variance signed by 29 property owners on Taft, and West Maple Aves., Hamilton Blvd., Jefferson Ave., and Birch Drive.

Steward pointed out that Lincoln Ave., an undeveloped street one block west of Taft Ave. and running off West Trenton Ave., was now zoned "B" residential.

Next To Industry

In their request for a variance, the builders felt that a variance should be allowed because Lincoln Ave. was near the borough line and next to an industrial development in Falls Township.

The builder now has one recourse—to go before Morrisville's Borough Council and ask for a change in zoning.

Rainbow Girls Install Seven

Seven new members have been initiated into membership of Morrisville Assembly 107, Order of the Rainbow for Girls, at exercises held at the fellowship hall of the First Presbyterian Church, Morrisville.

They were Carol Gilmer, Nancy Bradel, Marsha VanSickle, Donna Kemrite, Elaine Rhine-smith, Donna Tapley and Marri-gene Holcomb.

Members of the charity committee, headed by Judy Pollock, worthy advisor, will visit the Ne-shaminy Manor Home on July 19 and tender a party to those living at the home. Mrs. Margaret A. Johnson, advisory board member, will accompany the girls.

The assembly will discontinue meetings during the summer and meet again in September.

Yardley Church Dinner Rescheduled July 12

A building fund kickoff dinner of the Community Baptist Church of Yardley, scheduled for Saturday, has been postponed until July 12, it was announced today.

The postponement was necessary, Harry E. Perry, chairman of the fund-raising committee announced, because the Yardley St. Fair will be using the Yardley Community Center facilities.

Waterson, Patrolmen Complete Gun Course

Police Chief Robert W. Waterson and three Lower Makefield Township patrolmen have completed a week's course at a gunnery school sponsored by the Federal Bureau of Investigation at the Fairless Works range.

Officers who took the course included Charles Rinaldo, Peter Filipko and Rudolph Fatyol.

Italian-Americans To Meet Sunday

The Italian-American Club, Morrisville, will hold its June meeting 7 p.m. Sunday at the club headquarters, 150 Harrison Ave.

BITTEN WHILE SWIMMING

SARASOTA, Fla. (UPI)—A 15-year-old boy recovered today from a severe bite inflicted by an "unknown marine creature." The boy, Frank Mahala of Salem, N.J., was bitten Tuesday while swimming at a beach on Florida's west coast. Authorities said the animal may have been a barracuda. Doctors performed a long operation to repair damage to the leg, which was bitten twice. Some of the flesh was torn away.

Planning School Census



Manoah R. Reiter (left), superintendent of Morrisville schools, goes over plans for a school census enumeration which will start in Morrisville Monday. The census will be taken by Hor-

ace M. Hutchison, (center) and Burton Thomas. Vernon Ferguson was not present when the photo was taken. (Courier-Times Photo)

Enumeration Set To Begin In Morrisville

A school census enumeration will begin in Morrisville on Monday morning, Manoah R. Reiter, school superintendent reports.

The house-to-house canvass will be taken by Horace M. Hutchison, music supervisor; Burton Thomas, social studies instructor in the high school; and Vernon Ferguson, a teacher at Grandview School. They will carry identification cards.

Reiter said the census, which has been authorized by the Board of Education, is required by State law every three years. The census-takers will ask the date of birth of all children in the school district and the names of their parents and other occupants of a home.

"Pupil assignments are made on the basis of this enumeration," Reiter pointed out. "It will give us an idea of the number of pupils who live in various sections of the borough so they can be assigned to the school nearest their home."

He said the census is expected to be completed by August 1.

Light Bulb Sale Arranged By Lions

Members of the Yardley-Makefield Lions Club will sell light bulbs to aid the blind on Monday and Saturday, July 5.

All Lions Club members are to meet at Kappy's Luncheonette Monday at 7 p.m. for solicitation in Lower Makefield and Yardley. John McVeigh is chairman of the sale.

Kappy Kaplow, former club president, will attend the Lions International Convention in Chicago from July 8 to July 12. A member of the international hospital-ity committee, Kaplow will make his headquarters at the Conrad Hilton Hotel.

Senior Citizens Club Plans Get-Togethers

The Morrisville Seniors Citizens Club will hold two out-door get-togethers in July, Mrs. T. B. Fowler, president reports.

The club will meet 11 a.m. Tuesday at the home of Miss Kitty Belville, 137 South River Road, Yardley and July 15 at the home of Mrs. Laura Butler, Edgewood Road, Yardley.

Recreation Program Set To Start Monday

The Lower Makefield-Yardley Recreation Board will open its summer program on Monday and close on August 22, Earl L. Murphy, director, announced yesterday.

Richard Skinner will supervise the Makefield School playground, assisted by Jeff Mobley, Peg Curtis and Bernadette Kocul as counselors.

William Westcott will supervise the Yardley School playground, assisted by Carol Taylor, Robert Humbrecht and Christine Ellis.

The program will be held each weekday from 9 a.m. until noon and will feature arts and crafts, archery, singing, dancing, ceramics, woodwork, softball and outdoor sports.

Murphy said the program is arranged to meet the recreational needs of children and young people of elementary, junior and senior high school age groups.

Baseball Clinic
A baseball clinic or ball game will be featured daily for boys who wish to devote their mornings to this type of activity. It will be open to boys in the Little League and Babe Ruth League age brackets. George Wah and Anthony Martini, who have had much experience with this group, will handle this phase of the recreational program.

Murphy announced that special arrangements have been made to accommodate the junior and senior high students in arts and crafts, shop, archery and other activities.

A weekly canteen for junior high school students will be held on Tuesday evenings beginning on July 3. Canteens will be held at the Community Center in Yardley. Mrs. Louis H. Serene is program chairman assisting Murphy with recreational arrangements.

A bus schedule has been arranged to pick up children who are out of walking distance and to provide transportation for a special afternoon program of swimming.

A special registration of the swimming group is being handled by Mrs. Charles M. Gedney, 1903 South Crescent Boulevard, Yardley. Registration for the playground program will take place at the Yardley Street Fair on Saturday for those who have not as yet registered.

Bus Schedule
The following bus route and schedules have been arranged to act as a guide in transporting participants in the Lower Makefield-Yardley area:

The pick-up route follows: 8:30 a.m., starting point Cardall's Corner, proceeding on Dolington Road; Dolington Road-Tailorsville Road and North Main St. to North Main to Letchworth Letchworth to River Road; River Road to Black Rock Road; to Yardley Road; Yardley Road to as yet registered.

Yardley Church Plans Picnic Tomorrow
The annual Yardley Methodist Church Sunday School and church picnic will be held tomorrow starting 1:30 p.m. at the General Greene Pavilion, Washington Crossing.

Edwin Daugherty is chairman of games. Those attending are requested to bring a picnic lunch. The supper hour has been set for 5 p.m. Ice Cream and soda will be provided.

Man Is Held In 3 Area Burglaries

A 22-year-old Philadelphia man, who police say admitted taking part in three burglaries in Upper and Lower Makefield and Middletown Townships, in which nearly \$4,000 in cash and jewelry was stolen, was committed to Bucks County Prison yesterday.

The suspect, Edward C. Hosack, 3672 Frankford Ave., Philadelphia, pleaded not guilty to two charges of burglary and a charge of conspiracy to do an unlawful act before Justice of the Peace Kenneth H. West in Yardley and a charge of burglary before Justice of the Peace William H. Oettinger of Middletown Township.

Police said Hosack admitted driving the car used in the three burglaries but denied, through his attorney, David Kanmer, Philadelphia, actually taking part in the breaking and entries during the burglaries.

Hosack was arrested last Friday while sitting in a car near Buckland Valley Farms, in Upper Makefield Township, above Washington Crossing Park. He implicated another man who is still at large.

Police said that the home of Frank Erni, Jerico Farms, Upper Makefield Township, above the home of Mrs. E. A. K. Roepcke, 335 Summit Ave., Langhorne, included \$465 in cash and other items, including jewelry, valued at \$200.

Hosack will await action of the Grand Jury on the charges.

Morrisville Yardley Makefield

Yardley Street Fair Is Slated Tomorrow

The fifth annual Yardley Street Fair, postponed last Saturday because of rain, will be held tomorrow on Main St., from Afton to College Aves.

Sponsored jointly by the Yardley Fire Company and the Community Center officials say the fair will be the biggest in history.

The fair will open at 3 p.m. with a pet show, under the direction of William J. Mackensen, Jr. Entries will be received next to the fire house just before show time.

Ribbons will be awarded to the smallest dog, biggest dog, most unusual pet, dog with the shortest tail, and biggest ears, the best dressed and funniest animals and the biggest animal.

Mackensen said the show is open to children and adults, who may exhibit dogs, cats, rabbits, birds or any other pets.

The American Legion Bandstand, sponsored by the Yardley Post, will be held beginning at 4 p.m. in front of the Community Center. Mrs. Charles Waschak is chairman.

A fried chicken dinner will be served in the basement of the center with Mrs. Thomas Everist as chairman. Tickets may be pur-

chased at the door. The fire company will conduct a novelty party in the fire house throughout the fair hours.

The Yardley - Makefield Community Improvement Committee will have a booth exhibiting the work it has accomplished and plans to accomplish. The booth will be operated by the Yardley-Makefield Business and Professional Woman's Club. Residents will be asked to register to aid in painting of the Yardley Railroad Station.

Several organizations will operate booths. These include the Yardley - Makefield Lions Club, which will also sponsor a pie-eating contest; Boy Scouts, Yardley Civic Club, Yardley Fire Company Ladies Auxiliary, St. Ignace Church, Lower Makefield Emergency Unit No. 1 and the American Legion. And a great dane puppy will be given away sometime before closing of the fair at 11 p.m. through the courtesy of Mackensen Kennels.

For the youngsters, pony rides, a whip and merry-go-round will provide entertainment. And there will be numerous booths selling refreshments and novelties.

Earl Murphy is general chairman of the joint committee.

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